

DAMAGE SURVEY REPORT (DSR)
Emergency Watershed Protection Program – Recovery

Section 1A

Date of Report: 11/09/2005

DSR Number: 019-05-056R Project Number: _____

NRCS Entry Only

Eligible: YES ☒ NO ☐
Approved: YES ☒ NO ☐
Funding Priority Number (from Section 4) 1e
Limited Resource Area: YES ☐ NO ☒

Section 1B Sponsor Information

Sponsor Name: District 8 Ward 1

Address: 2840 Goss Road

City/State/Zip: Lake Charles, LA

Telephone Number: (337) 855-4388

Fax: (337) 855-4388

Section 1C Site Location Information

County: Calcasieu

State: LA

Congressional District: 07

Latitude: 30.39774

Longitude: 93.12836

Latitude: 30.39835

Longitude: 93.15221

Section: 1 Township: 7S,8S Range: 8W

UTM Coordinates: _____

Drainage Name: Briar Marsh Bayou Reach: Welcome Rd to Topsy Rd (7,800 ft)

Damage Description: Small and large trees and branches in channel, impeding flow.

Section 1D Site Evaluation

All answers in this Section must be YES in order to be eligible for EWP assistance.

Site Eligibility	YES	NO	Remarks
Damage was a result of a natural disaster?*	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Recovery measures would be for runoff retardation or soil erosion prevention?*	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Threat to life and/or property?*	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Event caused a sudden impairment in the watershed?*	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Imminent threat was created by this event?**	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
For structural repairs, not repaired twice within ten years?***	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Site Defensibility			
Economic, environmental, and social documentation adequate to warrant action (Go to pages 3, 4, 5 and 6 ***)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Proposed action technically viable? (Go to Page 9 ***)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Have all the appropriate steps been taken to ensure that all segments of the affected population have been informed of the EWP program and its possible effects? YES ☒ NO ☐

Local Gravity Drainage District has been consulted.

Comments: _____

* Statutory

** Regulation

*** DSR Pages 3 through 5 are required to support the decisions recorded on this summary page. If additional space is needed on this or any other page in this form, add appropriate pages.

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Section 1E Proposed Action

Describe the preferred alternative from Findings: Section 5 A:

Total installation cost identified in this DSR: Section 3: \$ 102,100.00

Section 1F NRCS State Office Review and Approval

Reviewed By:

State EWP Program Manager

Date Reviewed:

11/28/05

Approved By:

State Conservationist

Date Approved:

11/29/05

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Section 2 Environmental Evaluation

2A Resource Concerns	2B Existing Condition	2C Alternative Designation			
		Proposed Action	No Action	Alternative	
		2D Effects of Alternatives			
Soil					
Water					
Downstream water rights					
Air					
Plant					
Animal					
Other					

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Section 2E Special Environmental Concerns

Resource Consideration	Existing Condition	Alternatives and Effects		
		Proposed Action	No Action	Alternative
Clean Water Act Waters of the U.S.				
Coastal Zone Management Areas				
Coral Reefs				
Cultural Resources				
Endangered and Threatened Species				
Environmental Justice				
Essential Fish Habitat				
Fish and Wildlife Coordination				
Floodplain Management				
Invasive Species				
Migratory Birds				
Natural Areas				
Prime and Unique Farmlands				
Riparian Areas				
Scenic Beauty				
Wetlands				
Wild and Scenic Rivers				

Completed By: _____

Date: _____

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Section 2F Economic

This section must be completed by each alternative considered (attach additional sheets as necessary).

	Future Damages (\$)	Damage Factor (%)	Near Term Damage Reduction
Properties Protected (Private)			
Properties Protected (Public)			
Business Losses			
Other			
Total Near Term Damage Reduction \$			
Net Benefit (Total Near Term Damage Reduction minus Cost from Section 3)			

Completed By: _____ Date: _____

Section 2G Social Consideration This section must be completed by each alternative considered

(attach additional sheets as necessary).

	YES	NO	Remarks
Has there been a loss of life as a result of the watershed impairment?			
Is there the potential for loss of life due to damages from the watershed impairment?			
Has access to a hospital or medical facility been impaired by watershed impairment?			
Has the community as a whole been adversely impacted by the watershed impairment (life and property ceases to operate in a normal capacity)			
Is there a lack or has there been a reduction of public safety due to watershed impairment?			

Completed By: _____ Date: _____

DSR NO: _____

Section 2H Group Representation and Disability Information

This section is completed only for the preferred alternative selected.

Group Representation	Number
American Indian/Alaska Native Female Hispanic	
American Indian/Alaska Native Female Non-Hispanic	
American Indian/Alaska Native Male Hispanic	
American Indian/Alaska Native Male Non-Hispanic	
Asian Female Hispanic	
Asian Female Non-Hispanic	
Asian Male Hispanic	
Asian Male Non-Hispanic	
Black or African American Female Hispanic	
Black or African American Female Non-Hispanic	
Black or African American Male Hispanic	
Black or African American Male Non-Hispanic	
Hawaiian Native/Pacific Islander Female Hispanic	
Hawaiian Native/Pacific Islander Female Non-Hispanic	
Hawaiian Native/Pacific Islander Male Hispanic	
Hawaiian Native/Pacific Islander Male Non-Hispanic	
White Female Hispanic	
White Female Non-Hispanic	
White Male Hispanic	
White Male Non-Hispanic	
Total Group	

Census tract(s) _____

Completed By: _____ Date: _____

DSR NO: _____

Section 2I. Required consultation or coordination between the lead agency and/or the RFO and another governmental unit including tribes:

Easements, permissions, or permits:

Mitigation Description:

Agencies, persons, and references consulted, or to be consulted:

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Section 3 Engineering Cost Estimate

Completed By: _____ Date: _____

This section must be completed by each alternative considered (attach additional sheets as necessary).

Proposed Recovery Measure (including mitigation)	Quantity	Units	Unit Cost (\$)	Amount (\$)
Total Installation Cost (Enter in Section 1F)\$				

Unit Abbreviations:

AC	Acre	LS	Lump Sum
CY	Cubic Yard	SF	Square Feet
EA	Each	SY	Square Yard
HR	Hour	TN	Ton
LF	Linear Feet		Other (Specify)

DSR NO: _____

Section 4 NRCS EWP Funding Priority

Complete the following section to compute the funding priority for the recovery measures in this application (see instructions on page 10).

Priority Ranking Criteria	Yes	No		Ranking Number Plus Modifier
1. Is this an exigency situation?				
2. Is this a site where there is serious, but not immediate threat to human life?				
3. Is this a site where buildings, utilities, or other important infrastructure components are threatened?				
4. Is this site a funding priority established by the NRCS Chief?				
The following are modifiers for the above criteria			Modifier	
a. Will the proposed action or alternatives protect or conserve federally-listed threatened and endangered species or critical habitat?				
b. Will the proposed action or alternatives protect or conserve cultural sites listed on the National Register of Historic Places?				
c. Will the proposed action or alternatives protect or conserve prime or important farmland?				
d. Will the proposed action or alternatives protect or conserve existing wetlands?				
e. Will the proposed action or alternatives maintain or improve current water quality conditions?				
f. Will the proposed action or alternatives protect or conserve unique habitat, including but not limited to, areas inhabited by State-listed species, fish and wildlife management area, or State identified sensitive habitats?				

Enter priority computation in Section 1A, NRCS Entry, Funding priority number.

Remarks:

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Section 5A Findings

Finding: Indicate the preferred alternative from Section 2 (Enter to Section 1E):

Debris removal using conventional equipment, access from one side of the channel.

I have considered the effects of the action and the alternatives on the Environmental Economic, Social; the Special Environmental Concerns; and the extraordinary circumstances (40 CFR 1508.27). I find for the reasons stated below, that the preferred alternative:

☒ Has been sufficiently analyzed in the EWP PEIS (reference all that apply)
Chapter 5.2.2.1.2
Chapter _____
Chapter _____
Chapter _____
Chapter _____

_____ May require the preparation of an environmental assessment or environmental impact statement.
The action will be referred to the NRCS State Office on this date:

NRCS representative of the DSR team

Charles Stetson

Title:

District Conservationist Date: 11-21-05

Section 5B Comments:

Section 5C

Sponsor Concurrence:

Kevin Burnett

Sponsor Representative

Title:

FOREMAN

Date:

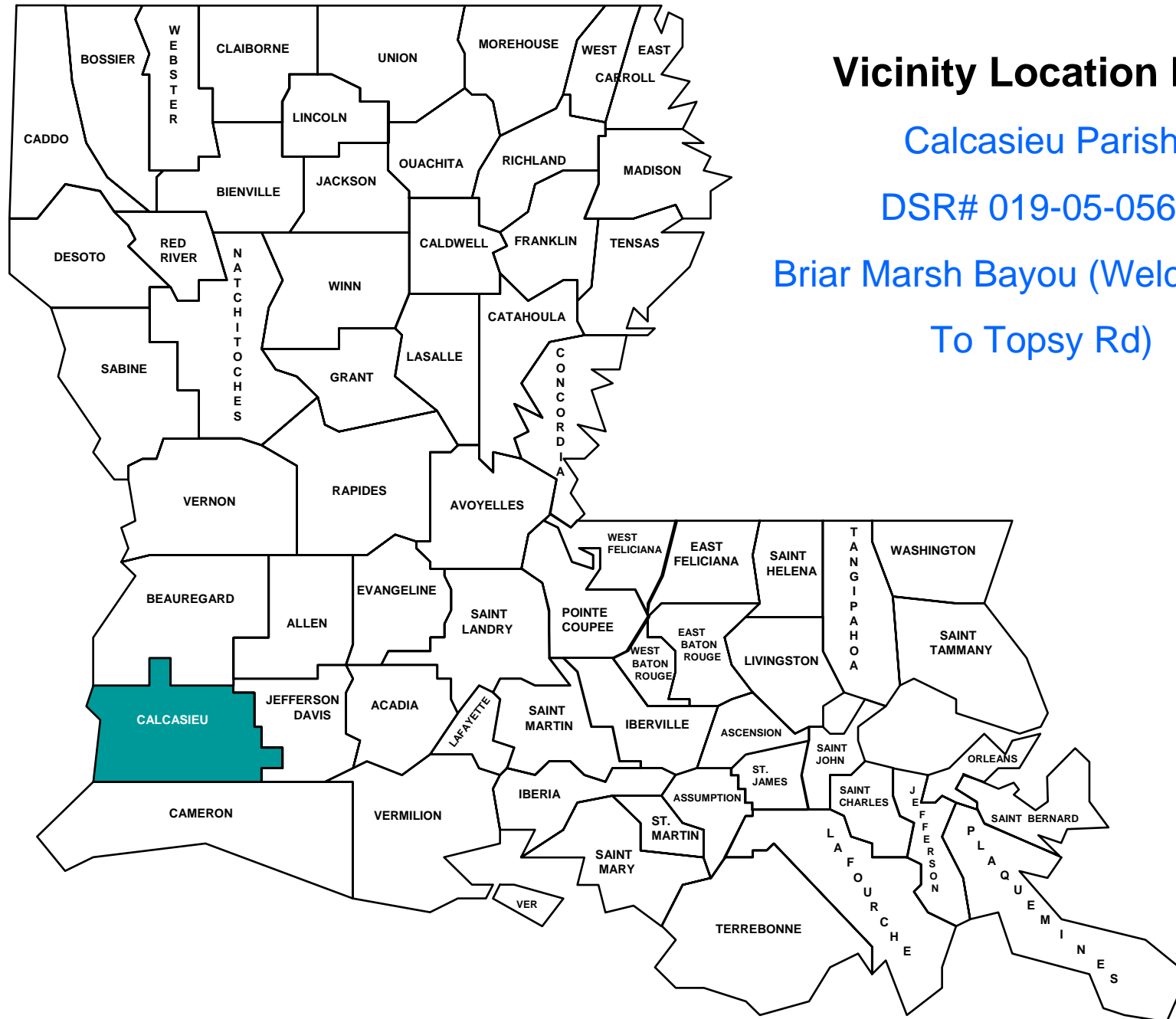
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Section 6 Attachments:

- A. Location Map
- B. Site Plan or Sketches
- C. Other (explain)

SECTION 6

ATTACHMENTS



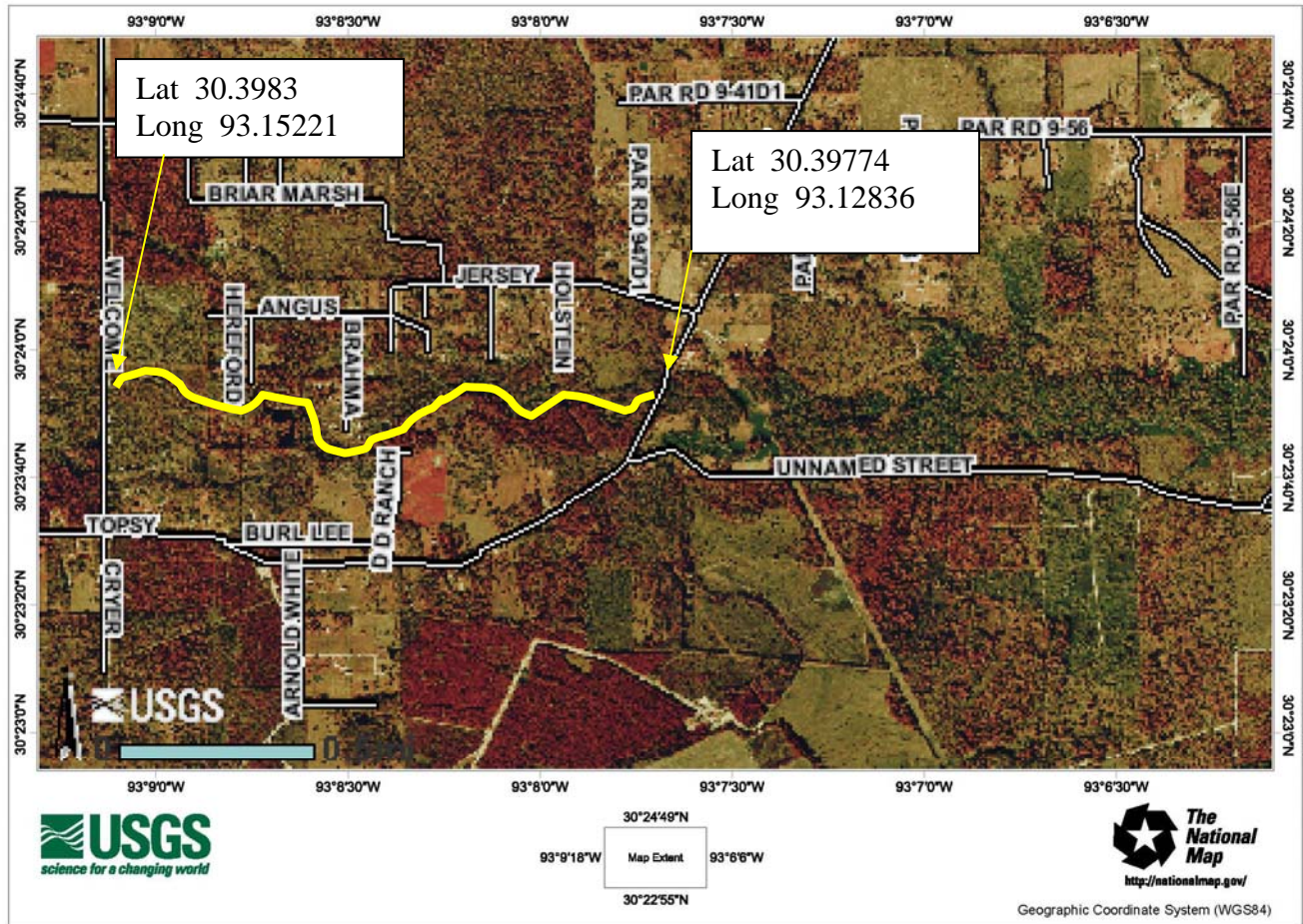
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Calcasieu Parish

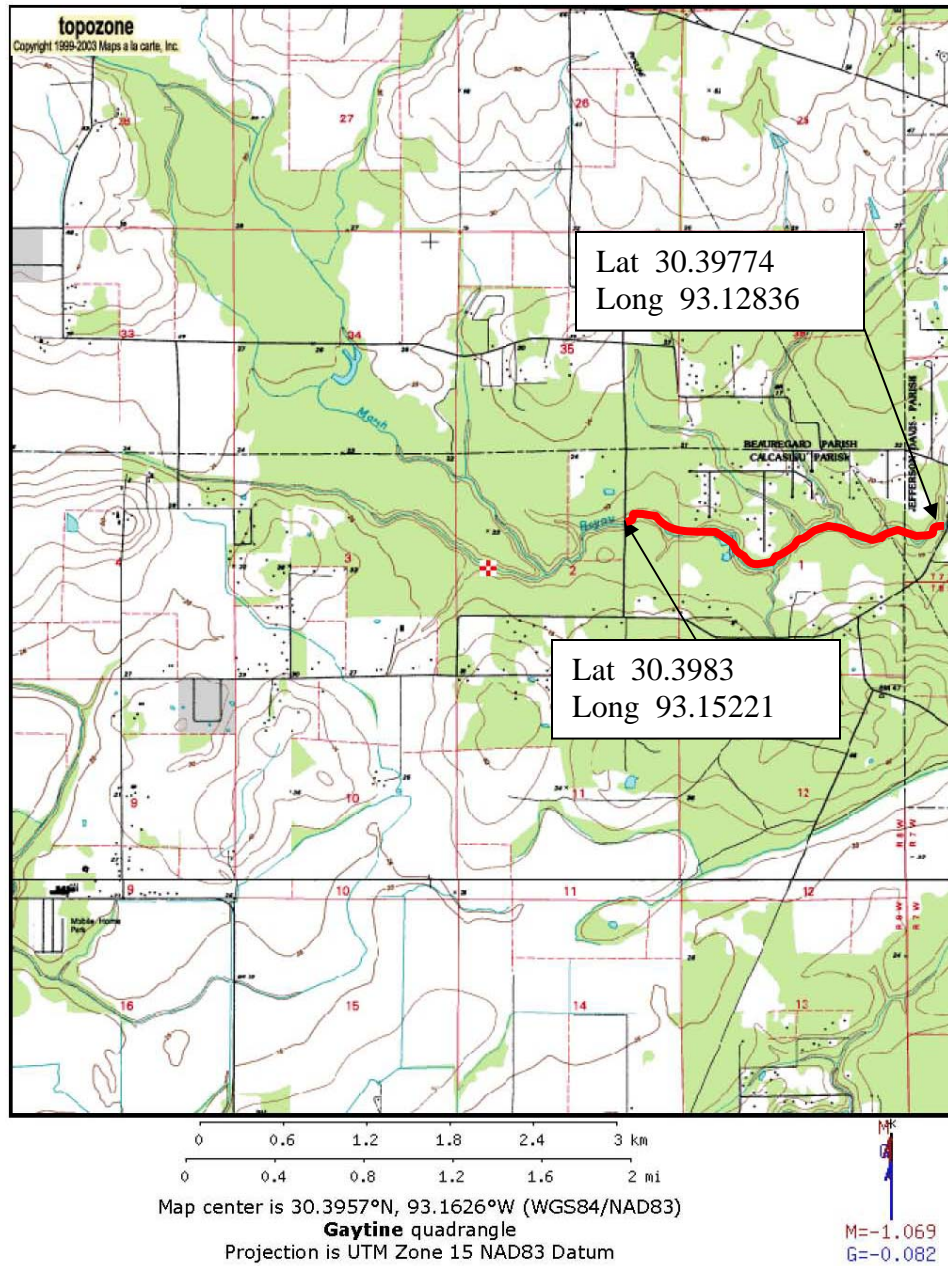
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Briar Marsh Bayou (Welcome Rd
To Topsy Rd)

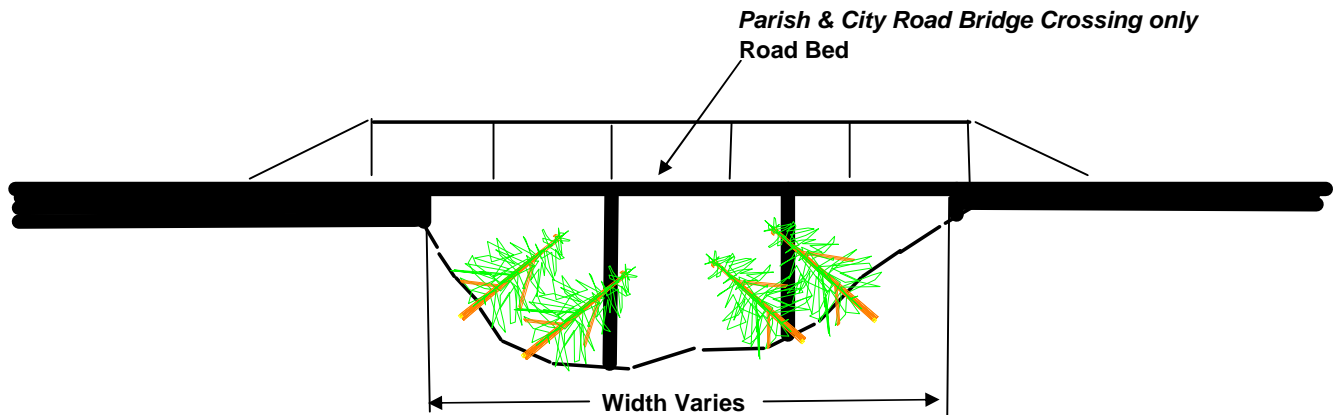
SITE MAP
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BRIAR MARSH BAYOU Welcome Rd. to Topsy Rd.
Calcasieu Parish
Estimated Reach Length 7,800 LF



TOPO MAP
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BRIAR MARSH BAYOU Welcome Rd. to Topsy Rd.
Calcasieu Parish
Estimated Reach Length 7,800 LF



Debris Removal



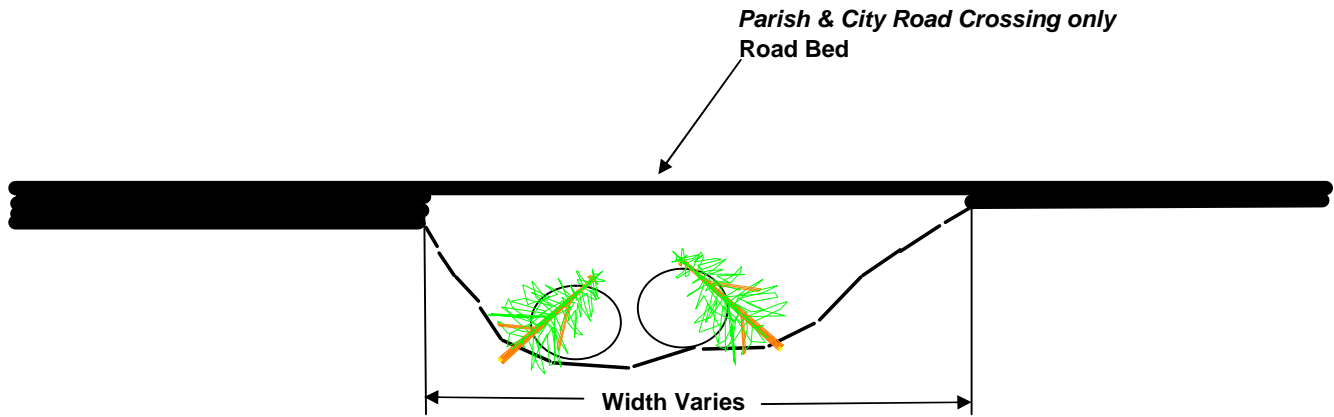
Note: Contract is to remove Debris from upstream and downstream Bridge which includes underside of bridge

Exception: All Crossing which cross State or Federal highways are not included in contract

Typical Road Bridge Crossing Not to Scale

Notice:
48 Hours Before Digging
Call 1-800-272-3020

Debris Removal



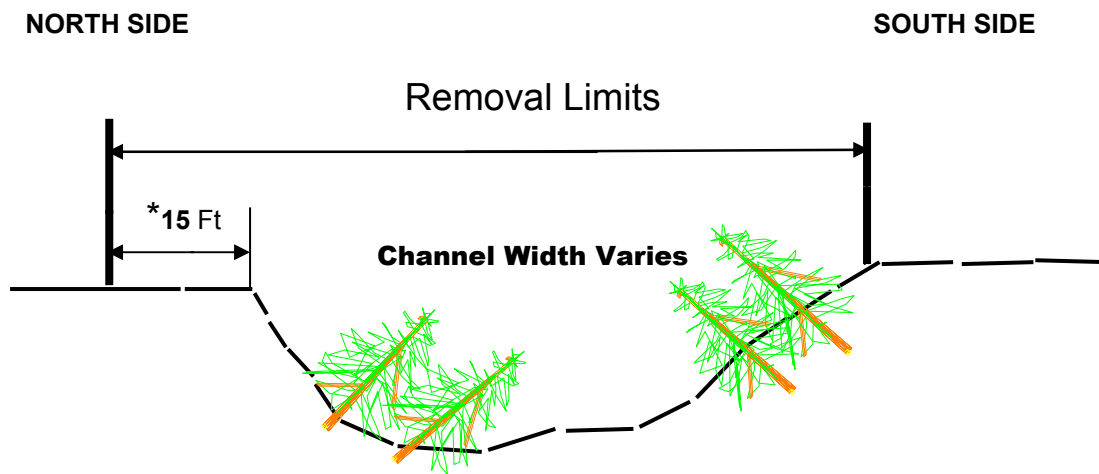
Note: Contract is to remove Debris from upstream and downstream Culverts which includes inside of culverts

Exception: All Crossing which cross State or Federal highways are not included in contract

Typical Road Culvert type Crossing Not to Scale

Notice:
48 Hours Before Digging
Call 1-800-272-3020

Debris Removal



Typical Section Not to Scale

Notice:
48 Hours Before Digging
Call 1-800-272-3020

***Note:** Rights of way on north side only, except in locations where structures do not permit as concurred in by the COTR

Exception it may be possible that trees which were located outside of the the rightaway may have fallen into the right of way, these trees will be remove which may be located outside of the right of way.

Calcasieu Parish

Briar Marsh Bayou, Gillis, LA
(Welcome Rd to Topsy Rd)

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Selected Alternative

Section 5 Engineering Cost Estimate Workshee
Preferred Method

Completed By: Brandon Samson

Date: 9-Nov-05

Type of Work:

Debris Removal

Location of Work:

Township(s)

Range(s)

Section(s)

Quadrangle(s)

Hammond, Ponchatoula

Briar Marsh Bayou

Latitude

Longitude

Downstream Start:

Upstream End:

30.39774

93.12836

30.39835

93.15221

Estimated Length of Work Segment (ft):

7,800

Item No.	Proposed Recovery Measure	Quantity	Units	Unit Cost	Amount
1	Mobilization & Demobilization	1	LS	\$10,000.00	\$10,000
2	Channel Obstruction Removal	7,800	LF	\$11.50	\$89,700
3	Seeding, Sprigging and Mulching	3	AC	\$800.00	\$2,400
4					\$0
5					\$0

Note: Estimated cost of debris removal includes labor and hauling of material to landfill.

Total Estimated Construction Cost

\$102,100

Performance Time:

Production Rate

750 Ft/Day

Segment Length

7,800 Ft

Production Time

10.40 Days

Contract Time

11 Days

Estimated Cost of Equipment with Labor

(Per Mike Kennedy's Email 09/22/04)

Description of Work:

Light

Cost per LF

\$11.50

Estimated Cost of Seeding with Labor

Segment Length

7,800 Ft.

Segment Width

15 Ft.

No.of Segment

1

Acres

3

Cost per Ac

\$800

Total Cost

\$2,400

Comments:

Proposed Action - debris removal using conventional equipment, access from one side of channel.

Channel Obstruction Evaluation

SITE INFORMATION			
Parish: <u>CALCASIEU</u>	Site: <u>BRIAR MARSH CHANNEL</u>		
City: <u>GILLIS</u>			
Sponsor:	Reach:	From - <u>0+00</u>	
Date: <u>10/24/05</u>		To - <u>199+06</u>	
Evaluation Team:	<u>SEE ATTACHED MAP</u>		

PHOTO NUMBERS AND BRIEF DESCRIPTION		WAYPOINTS	
		(CIRCLE location and record in Decimal Degrees)	
Photo #	Description	Start Work (D/S end)	N 30.40284 W 093.18913
	<u>SEE ATTACHED PHOTOS AND DESCRIPTIONS</u>	Midstream	
		End Work (U/S end)	<u>WN 30.39774 W 093.12836</u>

NEARBY AND UPSTREAM STRUCTURES			
(Fill in Numbers, Values, and Size)			
CHURCHES		SCHOOLS	
No. of Churches		No. of Schools	
<u>SEE ATTACHED HOMESITES</u>		PUBLIC FACILITIES	
		No. of Public Facilities	
HOMESITES		BUSINESSES	
No. of Homesites		No. of Businesses	
Average Value of Homes (X \$1,000)		Size of Businesses	S M L

STREAM CROSSINGS		
(CIRCLE type and write material, size and length)		
TYPE	MATERIAL	NUMBER, SIZE, & LENGTH
Bridge		
Culverts		
Other or None		

UTILITIES			
(CHECK the location of the utilities in the area and CIRCLE stream orientation)			
	Overhead (Power, Cable, etc.)	U/S	D/S
	Buried (Gas, Sewer, water, etc.)	U/S	D/S
	Elevated Cross channel (Water, Gas, etc.)	U/S	D/S
Remarks:			

CHANNEL CHARACTERISTICS				FLOW	
(CHECK appropriate box for slope and fill in dimensions information)					
SLOPES		DIMENSIONS		Is Water Flowing?	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1.5 : 1 or steeper	Top Width (ft.)	<u>40'</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
	1.5 : 1 through 3 : 1 Slope	Bottom Width (ft.)	<u>15'</u>	Is debris accumulating? (i.e. Leaves, Trash)	
	Flatter than 3 : 1	Depth (ft.)	<u>12'</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO

STATEMENT OF PROBLEM					
(CHECK the boxes as needed, and CIRCLE the size of debris that applies)					
DEBRIS	IN CHANNEL	ACROSS CHANNEL	SIZE OF DEBRIS		BLOCKAGE
					% of X-Section Obstructed:
Pine Trees			<input checked="" type="radio"/> Light	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Moderate	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Heavy
Hardwoods	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Shrubs					
Other (explain)					

WORK METHOD AND LOCATION	
(CHECK the box that best applies)	
	Within Channel Floating Equipment (i.e. Barge or Marsh Buggy)
	Within Channel Non - Floating Equipment (Excavator/Track-hoe, Spider, etc)
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> From Top Banks
ACCESS TO SITE	
(Explain access issues and possible difficulties)	